

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Doll et al.

Serial No.: 09/893,336

Filed: June 27, 2001

For: REDUCED SENSITIVITY, MELT-
POURABLE TRITONAL REPLACEMENTS

Confirmation No.: 1135

Examiner: A. Felton

Group Art Unit: 3641

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

On p. 2 of the Notice of Allowability, the Examiner indicates:

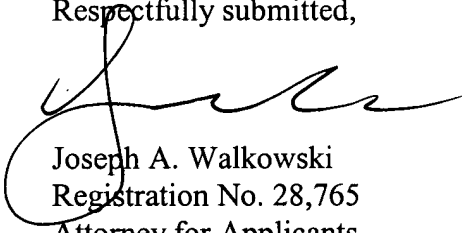
The primary reason for the allowance of the claims in this case, is the inclusion of the specific binder with oxidizer and fuel that are included in the independent claims, in combination with the other elements recited, which is not found in the prior art of record.

Applicants concur with the reasons as stated by the Examiner insofar as they comprise a summary and are exemplary and not limiting. However, the independent claims as allowed include other and different language than that specified by the Examiner, and the allowed dependent claims include other and further features and elements. Accordingly, the scope of the

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claims must be determined from the literal language of each as a whole, as well as equivalents thereof.

Respectfully submitted,



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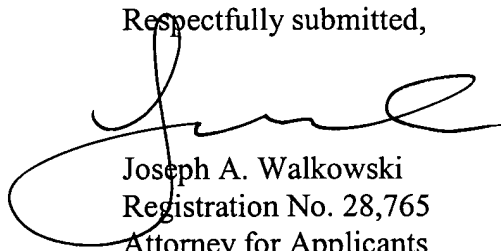
Sir:

Applicants submit herewith Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal for the above-captioned application and a check in the amount of \$1,730.00 in payment therefor plus ten (10) copies of the patent when issued.

Also enclosed are Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a); Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance; and Fee Addressee for Receipt of PTO Notices Relating to Maintenance Fees.

Applicants understand that no additional fees are required. However, if the Office determines that any comparison fees or other additional fees are required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any such fees to TraskBritt Deposit Account No. 20-1469. A copy of this Transmittal Letter is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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Enclosures: Part B - Issue Fee Transmittal

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Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a) (9 pages)

Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance (2 pages)

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